

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to an applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The following changes have been made in a subject of the application to place the claims in a condition for allowance:

Claims

RENUMBERED

In claim 1:

- line 2, inserted --to-- after "inks".
- line 3, inserted --includes-- after "and".

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The above change was made clearer language and to place application in better condition for allowance.

REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

The following is an Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance:

Claims 9-15 are allowed because the prior art references of record fail to suggest a device for storing and simultaneously refilling with different color inks to a cartridge of a color printhead comprising a container that includes at least three independent ink tanks, each tank associated with a feeding member to transfer the ink of each color to the cartridge when the container is in the operation position, the tanks being arranged concentrically in a central position in the container each of the tanks being suitable for containing a predetermined quantity of color ink, collected in a corresponding feeding compartment adjacent to a bottom wall of the container, and